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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC
SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF MEDICAL
EXAMINERS
DOCKET NO.

In the Matter of:

SHARON BRACKELMANNS-LANGEN, D.M.D.)

Licensed to Practice Dentistry
in the State of New Jersey

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board") upon receipt of a patient complaint from Ismael Acevedo concerning dental treatment rendered in the dental offices of Abraham Banker, D.M.D. Dr. Banker is the dentist of record for the patient, but dental treatment also was rendered to this patient by Ronald Chaiklin, D.M.D. and Sharon Brackelmanns-Langen, D.M.D., associates in the offices of Dr. Banker. The treatment in question was rendered in July and August 1992 and included, in pertinent part, an examination and X-rays (Dr. Banker); root canal therapy on tooth #5 (Dr. Chaiklin); and post and core dentistry on teeth #5 and #6 (Dr. Brackelmanns-Langen). The Board reviewed the entire record in this matter including the

patient's charts, X-rays, financial records, and additional information acquired at investigative inquiries attended by Dr. Banker on October 20, 1993; and Drs. Chaiklin and Brackelmanns-Langen on March 23, 1994. It appears to the Board that the dental treatment rendered to this patient was not performed within acceptable standards of care.

It appearing that the respondent desires to resolve this matter without recourse to formal proceedings and for good cause shown;

IT IS ON THIS 25 DAY OF MAY, 1994, HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

- 1. Dr. Brackelmanns-Langen shall successfully complete 7 hours of continuing education in basic root canal therapy and 7 hours of continuing education in basic post and core dentistry. These courses shall be approved by the Board in writing prior to attendance utilizing the attached Pre-Approval Sheet, and the courses must be completed no later than December 31, 1994. Dr. Brackelmanns-Langen also shall be required to complete the attached Continuing Education Report and Proof of Attendance as proof of successful completion of the required course work. The attached forms are made a part of the within Order, and a separate form is to be used for each course. Said continuing education ordered herein shall be in addition to, and not a part of, the mandatory continuing education currently required for dentists.
 - 2. Dr. Brackelmanns-Langen shall be and is hereby

reprimanded for performing post and core dentistry on teeth #5 and #6 without radiographic evidence of adequate root canal filling.

MARVIN GROSS, D.D.S.

PRESIDENT

STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

I have read and understand the within Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

SHARON BRACKELMANNS-LANGEN, D.M.D